Introduced by Assembly Member Bass

February 18, 2005

An act relating to arrested persons.

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AB 860, as introduced, Bass. Arrested persons: notice of parental rights.

Existing law prescribes the procedure to be followed upon a person's arrest.

This bill would state the intent of the Legislature to require local law enforcement agencies to provide every person who is arrested and has minor children with information about their parental rights and responsibilities, including the process of termination of parental rights.

Vote: majority. Appropriation: no. Fiscal committee: no. State-mandated local program: no.

The people of the State of California do enact as follows:

- SECTION 1. It is the intent of the Legislature to require local
- 2 law enforcement agencies to provide every person who is
- 3 arrested and has minor children with information about their
- 4 parental rights and responsibilities, including the process of
- 5 termination of parental rights.